

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)**

Docket No. E0001/7056

Applicant: Paul J. Thompson and Nathan T. Lee
Serial No: 09/955,351
Filed: September 17, 2001
For: STENT WITH OFFSET CELL GEOMETRY
Examiner: Michael H. Thaler
Art Unit: 3731

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application up to, and including, November 28, 2006.

Small Entity

Applicant claims small entity status

Extension

The requested extension and the appropriate fee are as follows:

Two months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2)) \$450.00
Total Fee: \$450.00

Payment

A check in the amount of the extension fee is enclosed.
 The extension fee is included in a fee payment made in connection with papers accompanying this petition.
 Charge the extension fee to deposit account no. 02-3038. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 and §1.17 that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account no. 02-3038.



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